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Public (R.D. P.VI) Dept

Memo no 6195- R.D P.VI 55-4

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. anara Collectorate
Bangalore dated 30.6.55.

From

Sri M.G.Rata Rao, I.A.S.
Collector of South Kanara.

To

The Additional Secretary to Government,
Public (P.D.P) Department,
Fort St. George Madras 9

Through
The Secretary to the Commissioner of
Food Production,
Board of Revenue (A.D) Chepauk, Madras 5

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Sir,

Local Development works--South Kanara district--Bantwal sub-taluk--Construction of a building for Bekal Fisheries High School--Grant of assistance--Orders requested.

On 20.10.54 the Bangladesh Fisheries High School Committee, Bekal submitted a petition requesting the grant of assistance from the Local Development works funds to the extent of 50% of the cost of construction of a building for the High school, as the committee was obliged to donate a building for the High school and place it at the disposal of the Fisheries Department. A copy of the petition is enclosed. The Assistant Director of Fisheries South Kanara also supported the grant of assistance for the building work in his letter No.5466 C/54-1 dated 18.1.55 (copy enclosed). The Dt. Educational Officer South Kanara who was consulted in the matter expressed the view that the grant of assistance from the Local Development works funds to the extent of Rs.10000/- may be sanctioned as this is a deserving case of a badly needed school. An extract of the remarks of the District Educational Officer is enclosed.

2. The matter was enquired into departmentally and the work found to be requisite local contribution of 50% is Rs. The work which is estimated to cost about Rs.20000/- was for[illegible] work was not included in the 1954-55 programme and for inclusion considered by my predecessor in that it was not a part of the in the Local Development works programme. The 1955. school committee was informed accordingly in committee

3. Since then the President of the High school [illegible]r Agriculture when on the presented a petition to the Hon'ble Minister [illegible]tion was passed Minister visited this district on 20.4.55 [illegible] on the petition on the petition Collector by the Minister [illegible] also is enclosed. In the circumstances stated in the petition of predecessor considered the case deserved to be recommended for [illegible] the date of inclusion of the works in 1955-56 programme, [illegible]

school [illegible] proceeded with the work of construction of the building. I have personally inspected the building on 14.5.55 and the operation of the speaker is very [illegible] even the new building. I am satisfied that the grant of Rs. assistance from the Local Development Works side for this work is well deserved and [illegible] high school building in Kodrya which was included in the Local Development programme so far. But in view of the fact that the work was proceeded with before the finalisation of the work in the programme and before estimate was prepared the work is eligible for an additional grant of Rs. according to the orders in G.O. No. [illegible] dated 28.5.55. The grant of such a nature will not be adequate assistance for the work but only a fair grant with this additional effort, considering also the [illegible] difficulties expressed in the Collector's further report dated 28.7.55 (copy enclosed) I therefore request that the Government may be pleased to provide the grant of Rs. 20000 or 50% of the estimated cost of the work which over is kept for the aforesaid work of construction of the High school building in Tekkali as a special case. I solicit early orders so that the work can be included in the 55-56 programme and finally paid for quickly.

Yours faithfully,

[signature]

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Copy [illegible] to the additional Secretary to Government, Public Department for information and necessary action.

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Public (R.D. PW) Dept.

(Ms 6195/55)

submitted for perusal

The remarks of the Board of Revenue may be awaited till 5.10.55.

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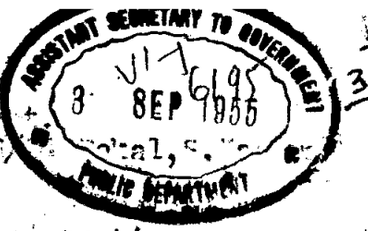

Copy of letter dated 30.7.55 from the Presidential Secretaries High School Committee Registered No.20/ Dekal, S. to the Collector of South Canara.

Sub: Local Development works--Inclusion of construction of a High School building--Dekal Pishariga High school--Re grant.

Ref: 1.Our petition dated 30.12.54 to the Collector.
2.D.Dis.227/55 of the Collector dated 11.3.55.
3.Our representations dated 10.4.55 to the Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture and Local Development works Madras with a copy to the Collector.
4.My petition dated 10.7.55 to the Collector of S.Canara presented at Dekal camp.

In my petition cited fourth above, I have represented that in the reference cited third above addressed to the Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture and local Development works, Madras under copy to the Collector of S.Canara, we had elaborately represented our difficulties in elevating the Pishariga High school at Dekal and on constructing a pucca building for the High school classes to be donated to the Government and for which reason to include the work of the said building in the local Development scheme for the year 1955-56 and sanction 50% of the actual cost of construction. We also represented in the fourth reference that we understand that the said representation has been forwarded to the Collector for necessary action to include the above construction work in the above referred scheme. But so far no orders are passed.

Coming to the multiple financial difficulties experienced by us in the matter from the beginning till this day, our troubles are less said the better. We had to borrow large sums of money from various sources with the object of completing the building in the cause of education. That even now some minor works remain to be completed for want of funds. We do not see any way either to proceed with the work or to repay the amount raised by us as temporary loans.

All these days we were eagerly awaiting the orders of the Collector sanctioning 50% of the total amount spent over the building under the above scheme, lest the work should be seriously suffered and we should be strangled in the matter of repayment of the loans obtained. But we were so far disappointed.

Now the outside walls on the east and south of the building have to be plastered. Ridge tiles have to be plastered with sand and chunam. Boarders on the tiles to prevent the tiles from being blown off have to be provided. We have absolutely no money at our hands. Unless the subsidy prayed for is granted from the Local Development scheme, we will not be able to prosecute the work further and we may have to leave the work as it is. We are living in a straightened circumstances.

We therefore earnestly hope and pray that the subsidy prayed for may be granted without any loss of time, for which act of kindness we shall ever remain grateful.

-True copy-

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for Collector.

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Copy of letter dt 30.12.64 from the President, Taluka Local Committee (Legd. 3.22/14) addressed to the Collector of South Kanara, Mangalore through the Deputy Director of Education Mangalore.

...Collector for the list for grant-in-aid of ... and favourable orders thereon.

In the memorandum presented to the Minister for ... on 21.8.1961 we requested to convert the ... school into a middle school in June 1962 as a ... raise it to a high school.

... the Minister in his letter No.Legis/60 dt 22.8.61 has ... that we may know whether we are prepared ... a place building with 150 school places and place it ... of the Government free of cost. We have come to know ... with the anxiety of having a high school in our midst.

... G.O.No.2501 dt 8.8.1958 of Taluka ... Development Board, every Taluka should have ... schools. (Vide para 5.6, s. No.1.1 of 21.8.5 of the ... Development Board). In the said Taluka Development ... school was to be opened in the year 1961. In this connection ... fish ... part of the land in Kalliyara village ... 000/- for constructing the building for the proposed ... fish ... High School.

... the Assistant Director of Fisheries, ... expressing his concurrence to the construction of ... building to be taken ... the ... for grant-in-aid ... dated 17.12.64.

... to state that the ... school position ... of Kallianpur village is very poor and ... to very ... It is ... by the Committee that ... to open ... Collector of ... to ... at least half of the ... from the local ... and ... poor ... the Government ... of the ... to be done ... or ... question of ... grant-in-aid ... which is ...

Praying for favourable orders.

Yours ...

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for Collector.

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Copy of letter C/Fish ... 19.1.65 from ... Fisheries ... to the Collector of South ...

Sub: Fisheries -- ... High School--Malpe -- ... -- Committee of.

... School Committee ... to open a ... building ... in the ... of providing ... locally. ... Government ... the ... School Committee ... financial difficulties in constructing the building ... requested the Collector to allot ... Malpe ... requisitioning from the local ... fund said to be available ... be placed at the disposal of the Collector ... Malpe ... is opened. ... Government ... permission. Detail ... proposal ...

Yours ...

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for Collector.

Copy of Dt. Educational Officer's remarks dated 27.8.55.

This is a badly needed High school as the nearest high schools are at Mosrng and Kasaragod at distance of 9 and 10 miles respectively. Though the Bekal Fisheries High school is managed by the Government, the local people has to put up the building for the High school and the public is mostly poor fis erfolk There is urgency for this construction as one of the Govt. schools has fallen down during the past monsoon and the sixth form has to be opened in June 55. Hence payment of a elf grant not exceeding Rs.10,000 is ~~accorded~~ recommended.

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For Collector.

Copy of petition dated 19.4.55 from the President Fisheries High school Committee Registered No.2/1/54 Bekal S.Kanara to the Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture and Local Development works Govt. of Madras Madras. Camp Kumbla.

Sub: Local Development works--Inclusion of construction of a High school--Bekal Fisheries High school--Requested.

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Ref: 1.Our petition dated 30.12.54 to the Collector of S. anara
2.D.Dis.737-55 of the Collector of S.Kanara dated 11.8.55.

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We beg to submit that under our petition cited above addressed to the Collector of S.Kanara we represented the followin facts and prayed for an aid from the Local Development works.

'In Memorandum presented to the Director of Fisheries Madras on 24.8.51 we requested to convert the Fisheries Higher Elementary school into a Middle school in June 1951 as a preliminary step to elevate the same into the standard of a High school. Then the Asst. Director of Fisheries Mangalore in his letter No.1279 F/54 dated 26.8.51 asked us to let him know whether we are prepared to donate a pucca building with 150 school places and place it at the disposal of the department free of cost. We agree to do so with the anxiety of having a High school in our midst. As per G.O. Ms.No. 2591 dated 8.8.52 Development Department the school was converted into a Middle school in June 1953. Again as per G.O.Ms. No.1715 dated 21.5.54 of Agriculture Department the above Middle school was converted into a High school and opened IX Form in Last June 1954. In this connection the Fisheries Department acquired a land in Pallikere village in R.S.No.229/6 for constructing the building for the present Bekal Fisheries High school. The Asst.Director of Fisheries has asked us to expedite the construction of the building to be donated to the Fisheries Department urgently as per his letter No.1026/C/52 dated 17.12.54. But the financial position of the people of Pallikere village is very poor owing to various reasons and so it is resolved by the Committee at a meeting held on 26.12.54 to apply to the Collector of S.Kanara district to sanction at least half of the amount to be spent, from the Local Development scheme and help the poor people of this village to fulfil their promise with the Government. The next half of the total amount to be spent for the construction of the building to be donated, will be spent by the people of this place through this Committee.'

But the Collector of S.Kanara in his proceedings cited second above, found that the construction of a building for Bekal Fisheries school is not a fit case for ~~including in the~~ inclusion in the Local Development works programme.

The Collector was not justified in coming to the above finding and rejecting our petition on that score. We therefore beg to represent before the Hon'ble Minister the following points for reconsideration and favourable orders.

Although the relevant G.O lays down that no [illegible] could be granted to the secondary educational institutions, there is an amendment to the said G.O which provides the grant of aid to the undeveloped areas and backward communities. The Pallikere village and its surrounding are decidedly undeveloped areas and most of the people living there are backward. Hence the amendment referred to above clearly applies to Pallikere village and the object aid prayed for by us. The Collector was wrong in not noting these salient facts.

We understand that the Revenue Officials subordinate to the Collector have recommended our case strongly as also the conditions for the grant of aid are amply fulfilled.

We also understand that very recently in similar cases and for the same purposes, aids were granted to Chandagad and Krishnapuram High schools in Cheranad Division in Malabar District. In view of this, it looks very unfair when aids are not granted in South Kanara for similar purposes.

We may mention here that the village of Pallikere has not been included in the National Extension scheme or Community Projects areas and hence we applied for the aid from local Development scheme

The construction of the building for the High school is in full swing and the superstructure is coming up rapidly. Walls have sprung up and wooden doors and windows are fixed. It is not with any reserved funds that we are constructing the same but with borrowed capital with the avowed object of completing the same before 1.6.1957 and donate the same to the Fisheries Department, as promised by us.

Under these circumstances, ours is a fit case for inclusion in the Local Development Works programme, especially in view of the amendment referred above, the people of the village being backward, Ishavas, Mapillas, Koteyars and Harijans are purely poverty.

We therefore pray that the Hon'ble Minister may be pleased to direct the Collector of Kanara to kindly include the construction of the said building in the Local Development Works programme for the year 1955-56 and direct as Engineer of the Revenue Department to sanction the cost of construction as per approved plan and estimate of the Fisheries Department, according to which we are constructing the building and order payment of 50% of the cost of the said construction, for which act of kindness we shall ever remain grateful.

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for Collector

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IC/1.9.55.

I.I DUPLICATE.
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH.
Ref.M1.19589-55.

S.K.Collector's Office,
Mangalore, dated 5.10.55.

From

Sri M.G. Raja Ram, I.A.S.,
Collector of South Kanara, Mangalore.

ACCOUNTS AND SPECIAL OFFICER
10 OCT 1955
PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

The Additional Secretary to Government,
Public (RDP) Department, Fort St. George, Madras 9.

Through the Secretary to the Commissioner of Food Production,
To Board of Revenue, (FP) Chepauk, Madras-5.

Sir,

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P. 1-2 ante

LOCAL DEVELOPMENT WORKS- South Kanara District- Hosdrug Sub Taluk- Construction of a building for Bekal Fisheries High School - Grant of assistance.

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Ref: My report Ref.M1.19589-55 dated 30.8.55.

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In continuation of my report cited, I enclose a copy of the report R.C.5466 C/54 dated 19.9.55 from the Assistant Director of Fisheries, South Kanara for the information of Government. In the circumstances stated by the Asst.Director, I request that the sanction of the grant of Rs.10000/- recommended in my report cited may be subjected to the condition that the School Committee should provide a drinking water well for the school without assistance from the Local Development Works funds.

2. The other conditions suggested by the Asst.Director, viz. completion of the work by plastering the side and the rear walls by properly fixing the ridge and corner tiles with-lime mortor, and provision of urinal will be met by incorporating these items in the detailed estimate to be prepared for the work on receipt of orders of Government.

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Submitted for perusal
of further
P.7 above. the remarks of the Collr
may be awaited [RDP 19/10/55].
RD & Rad (F.P.)
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Yours faithfully,

8-10.55.
for Collector.

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RDP Accts
12/10/55

Copy submitted direct to the Additional Secretary to Government, Public (R.D.P.) Department, Fort St.George, Madras for advance intimation.

7/6.10.

Copy of letter R.C.5466 C/54 dated 19.9.55 from the Asst. Director of Fisheries, South Kanara, Mangalore to the Collector of South Kanara.

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Sub: EDUCATION - Fisheries - High School- Bekal Building construction by the High School committee.

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Re : Collector's R.C.No.M1.19589/55 dated 8.9.1955.

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The Bekal fisheries school committee promised to construct and give a building free of cost for raising the status of the school from a higher elementary into a middle school and from a middle school into a High School. Accordingly in G.O.Ms.No.252 Development dated 2.6.53 Government sanctioned the conversion of the fisheries Higher Elementary School at Bekal into a middle School from June 1953. In G.O.Ms.No.1244 Agriculture dated 15.4.54 sanction was also accorded for raising the school into a High School. A sum of Rs.1200/- was also got deposited by the Committee for compensating any loss in raising the school into a Middle school etc. On a represenation, Government in G.O. 17 Agri. dated 4.1.55 ordered the waiver of loss in the refund of the security deposit when the school committee constructed a free building for housing the school. On further representations, Govt.in G.O.Ms.No.1294 Agri.dated 10.5.55, ordered the refund of the security deposit to the High School committee, so as to enable them to utilise the amount for completing the construction of the High School building. The Government also ordered that the building was got completed by the committee expeditiously.

On 10.7.55 the building constructed was handed over to the Department by the High School Committee and was formally declared open by the Dt.Collector. However the building work was not completed by that date. Plastering on two sides had to be completed, so also other works. When the Committee was asked to complete these works they have expressed their inability and the President of the Committee had the discourtesy to inform me that these works were not in their estimates.

The High School Committee in their letter dated 22.7.55 has requested the Collector for a grant from the Local Development works fund and Collector in R.C.No. 1.19589 dated 8.8.55 has informed me that Govt.have been addressed for sanctioning a grant of Rs.10,000/- I request these facts may kindly be considered before any grant is made available to the Committee.

The High School building as donated is not quite complete and cannot be deemed to be so until the Committee has also provided a well and a urinal with lavatory sets and also the incomplete plastering etc., though there is no specific mention of these items in the original undertaking given by it. Now the committee is taking shelter under the plea that it has no funds. I therefore request the Collector to be good enough to impose the following conditions while sanctioning the grant, if any.

1) That the committee completes the new building by plastering the side and the rear walls and by properly fixing the ridge and corner tiles with lime mortar.

2) That it provides a drinking water well for the school.

3) That it provides a urinal with separate compartments for boys and girls and a lavatory as required by rules in a High School.

/True Copy/

8-10-55

Board of Revenue (FP):

Subject.

LOCAL DEVELOPMENT WORKS (South Kanara) Hosdrug sub taluk - construction of a building of Bekal Fisheris High School - Inclusion in the Programme Requested.

Ref.No.35873/55-2 F.P.VII-B.

Station: Madras. Dated: 31--10--1955.

From

Sri M.V. Subramaniam, I.C.S., Commr. of Land Revenue and Development.

Sri A. Somasundaram, B.A., Additional Secretary, Board of Revenue.

Read: From the Collector of South Kanara, Ref.Ml.19589/55 dated 30.8.55.
-do- Ref.Ml.19589/55 dated 24.9.55.
-do- Ref.Ml.19589/55 dated 5.10.195

Reference:-

The Board invites the attention of the Government to the letters from the Collector of South Kanara cited above and submits the following remarks.

2. The Bekal Fisheries School is managed by Government in the Fisherie Department. In 1954, sanction was accorded to convert the middle school into a High School. The fisheries Department require the necessary building to be constructed and handed over to the Department for maintenance. In 1954, the President, Fisheries High School committee sought assistance from the Local Development Grant for construction of the high School building which was rightly refused by the then Collector. The general

general instructions regarding the utilisation of the Local Development Grant are that only areas or schemes which do not stand to benefit directly or indirectly through plans of the Centre and State Government should be benefitted by the Local Development Grant. The building in question has been completed and there are no rules or exceptions in favour of grant of assistance from the Local Development funds for such works completed with other help. G.O.Mso.No.640, Public dated 28.2.1955, referred to by the Collector will not apply to such cases because all that has been permitted under the G.O. is to undertake an approved work without prior estimate. The Board therefore submits that the Collector's recommendation for treating this as a special case for assistance, although this is one of the two schools eligible for assistance in Kasargod taluk, cannot be accepted.

V. K. Balakrishnan 21/3

For Additional Secretary.

To

The Deputy Secretary to Government,
Public (RDP) Department, Madras-9.

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IN DUPLICATE.
DEVELOPMENT URGENT.
Ref.M1.19589-55.

South Kanara Collector's office,
Mangalore dated 15.11.55.

From

Sri M.G.Raja Ram,I.A.S.
Collector of South Kanara.

To

The Additional Secretary to Govt.
Public (RDP)Department,
Fort St. George Madras 9
Through
The Secretary to the Commissioner
of Food Production,
Board of Revenue,(F.P)Chepauk Madras

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
4 NOV 1955
PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

Sir,

LOCAL DEVELOPMENT WORKS--South Kanara district--Hosdrug sub taluk--Construction of a building for Bekal Fisheries High school.

Ref: My reports Ref M1.19589-55 dated 30.8.55 and 9.10.55.

In continuation of my reports cited, I submit that the question of inclusion of the Bekal Fisheries High school building work in the Local Development works programme for 1955-56 was discussed at the last meeting of the District Planning Board on 31.10.55. The District Planning Board has not only approved the inclusion of the work in the programme in anticipation of Government sanction but has also resolved that the Government be informed of the fact that the Planning Board has recommended the inclusion of the work in the programme for 1955-56. The work has accordingly been included in the Local Development works programme for 1955-56.

2. I request that the Government may be pleased to issue early orders in regard to the grant of assistance for this work, as already requested in my previous reports.

Yours faithfully,

16.11.55
For Collector.

Submitted for perusal.
The main file has been sent to Agriculture dept with U.O.No 6495-RDP.M. 55-2 dt 19/11/55. Its receipt may be awaited till 5.12.55

Submitted direct to the Additional Secretary to Government Public (RDP) Department, Fort St. George Madras 9 for favour of information.
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Board of Revenue (FP):

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Subject.

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Local Development Works (South Kanara) - Hosdrug sub-taluk - construction of a building for Bekal Fisheries High School - Inclusion in programme.

Ref.No.35873/55-3 F.P.VII-B.

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Station: Madras. Dated: 22--11-1955.

From: V. Subramanian, I.C.S., Commissioner of Land Revenue and Development.

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To: S. Somasundaram, B.A., Additional Secretary, Board of Revenue.

On Main file

Read: Board's Ref.No.35873/55-2 F.P.VII-B dated 31.10.1955. From the Collector of South Kanara, Ref.M1.19589-55 dated 15.11.1955.

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Reference:

Submitted to the Government.

2. The Board invites the attention of the Government to its remarks in its Reference cited.

S. Thorie 23.11.55

for Additional Secretary.

To: The Deputy Secretary to Government, Public (RDP) Department, Madras-9.

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Submitted for perusal please see the order at (illegible) the receipt of the main file is awaited

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 25 NOV 1955 PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

Public (R.D. & P.W.) Dept

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please see the Board's letter on p. 3 ante and its enclosure on p. 5 infra. please see also the orders on p. 1 ante. The receipt of the main file may be awaited till 5.12.55

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IN DUPLICATE.
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South Kanara Collector's office,
Mangalore dated 15.11.55.

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Collector of South Kanara.

To

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PUBLIC (R.D.P.VI) DEPARTMENT.

Memo.No. 6195 RDP.VI/55-4 d. 21.12.55

Sub: L.D.W. - South Kanara Dt. - Hosdrug Sub-taluk - Constructi of a building for the Bekal Fisheries High School - Inclusion in the L.D.W. Programme of 1955-56 - Ordered.

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Ref: From the Collr. of South Kanar letter No.Ref.M.1. 19589-55, d. 30-8-55 and letter Ref.M.1 19589/55 d. 5-10-55.

From the Bd. of Rev. (F.P.), Madras, letter No.35873/55-2 F.P.VII-B d. 31-10-55 and 22-11-55.

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The Collector of South Kanara is permitted to include the work of construction of a building for the Beka Fisheries High School, in the list of L.D.W. for 55-56 ~~as a~~ with a grant of Rs. 10,000/- as a special case. Th estimates should ~~however~~ include ~~a~~ prov sion for a drinking water well and ~~the~~ oth ~~construction of a lavatory and urinal~~ sanitary conveniences required by the ~~to the school.~~ Fisheries Department. ~~The grant under L.D.W. Should be restricted to Rs.10,000/- onl~~

The Collector of South Kanara, Mangalore.

" Bd. of Revenue (F.P.), Madras.

Copy to Agriculture Department.

Copy to S.E. (L.D.).

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Public (R.D. P.V.) Dept

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Sub:- L.D.W — S. Kanara Dt — Hosdrug Sub-taluk — Construction of a building of Bekal Fisheries High School - Inclusion in the programme — Request

Ref:- From the Collector of ~~Malabar~~ South Kanara Lr No. Rg. M1. 19589/55 dt 20/8/55

2. From the Board of Rev (F.P.) Madras Lr no Rg. no 35873/55-2 F.P. VII dt 31/10/55

The reports of the collector of S. Kanara on PP 1 to 9 of and the remarks of the Board of Rev (F.P.) Madras on PP 11-12 of may be perused.

The request is to sanction under L.D.W. Scheme a grant of Rs 10,000 or 50% of the estimated cost to the Fisheries High School in Bekal for the construction of a building for the school which will ultimately be at the disposal of the Fisheries Dept. The Asst Director of Fisheries has recommended the grant. The collector of S. Kanara has recommended the grant to the school as this is the first school to get assistance from Govt under L.D.W. scheme in Hosdrug taluq. The Board of Rev (F.P.) Madras has not recommended the grant for the following reasons.

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(1) In 1954, sanction was accorded to convert the middle school into a high school and the Fisheries dept require the necessary building to be constructed and handed over to them for maintenance

(2) the building in question has been completed and there are no rules or exceptions in favour of grant of assistance from L.D. funds for such works completed by with other help.

For orders, whether the Board's recommendations be accepted and the collector of S. Kanara informed that his proposals cannot be accepted.

15/11/55

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As the work was nearly completed before inclusion in the L.D. programme no grant need be made for the school building. The Collector may however include the well & the laboratory & urinals in the L.D programme & give a 50% grant.

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Voro 6195 Public (SDR II) 55-2

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15/11/55

SECOND ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
16 NOV 1955

To A.S.

The correspondence in the C.F. and the notes of Public(R.D.P.) on pp.1-2 above may be perused.

2. The Bekal Fisheries School Committee promised to construct and give a building free of cost for raising the status of the school from a Higher Element-ary into a Middle School and from a Middle School into a High School. Accordingly in G.O.Ms.No.259, Develop-ment, dated 2-6-53, Govt. sanctioned the conversion of the Fisheries Higher Ele. School at Bekal into a middle school from June 1953. In G.O.Ms.No.1244,Agri., dated 15-4-54 sanction was also accorded for raising the school into a Middle School, etc. On a representation, Govt.,in G.O.Ms.No.17, Agri., dated 4-1-55, ordered the refund of the security deposit to the High School Committee, so as to enable them to utilise the amount for completing the construction of the High School building. The Govt. also ordered that the building was got completed by the committee expeditiously.

On 10-7-55 the building constructed by the committee was handed over to the department by the High School Committee and was formally declared open by the District Collector However the building work was not completed by that date Plastering on two sides had to be completed, so also other works. The High School Committee requested the Collector of South Kanara for a grant from the Local Development Works. The Asst.Director of Fisheries, South Kanara recommended the case to the Collector of South Kanara. The Collector recommended Rs.10,000/- or 50% of the ~~grant~~ cost whichever is less from the Local Development Programme. But the Bd.of Rev.(F.P.) has not however recommended the grant for the reasons that the general instructions regarding the utilisation of the Local Development Grant are that only areas or schemes which do not stand to benefit directly or indirectly through plans of the Centre and State Govt. should be benefited by the Local

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Development Grant. ~~The building in question has been~~ completed and there are no rules ~~or~~ exceptions in favour of grant of assistance ~~from~~ the Local Development funds for ~~such works completed with other help~~. G.O.Ms.No.640, Public, dated 28-2-55, referred to by the Collector will not apply to ~~such cases~~ works already completed because all that has been permitted under the G.O., is to undertake an approved work without prior estimate. Public (R.D.P.) agree with the Board and do not propose to make any grant for the building but propose to ask the Collector of South Kanara only to include items 2 and 3 at 'S' on p.9 c.f., viz., provision of a drinking water well, lavatory and urinals. in the programme for 1955-56 for a Govt. grant

It is submitted that as the District Educational Officer concerned has observed ~~that~~ this institution is a badly needed High School as the nearest High Schools are at Hosdrug and Kasaragod at a distance of 9 and 10 miles respectively. Though the Bekal Fisheries High School is managed by the Govt., the local people had to put up the building for the High School and the public is mostly poor fisher folk. As the local people in their enthusiasm had undertaken and provided the building through the High School Committee and as the building is still incomplete and requires plastering, ~~the walls, etc., as indicated in item (1) on p.9 c.f.~~, this Dept. may ~~request~~ suggest that the grant recommended by the Collector may be sanctioned as a special case relaxing the rules if necessary. Public(R.D.P.) will no doubt let H.E.L.A./Finance see the case and circulate the case to M(A) also.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 5 DEC 1955 PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

(cno 6195/55)

The notes of Agriculture on pp 3-4 ante and the further letter of the collector on p. 17 ante may be perused.

Agriculture dept have recommended that the collector's proposal may be sanctioned as a special case for the following reasons.

(see 'A' on p. 4 ante)

(1) that the Bekal Fisheries High school is a very badly needed institution, as the nearest high schools at Hosdrug and Kasaragod are at a distances of nine and ten miles respectively

(see 'B' on p. 4 ante)

(2) the building, which was constructed by public contribution, and work and enthusiasm, stands incomplete for want of plastering work.

(see 'C' on p 4 ante)

The collector has also now reported that as the Dt planning Board has approved the inclusion of the work in the programme of 55-56 and has resolved that the govt should be informed of the Board's recommendation, the work has been included in the L.D.W. programme for 1955-56.

(see 'X' on p. 17 ante)

(end)

In view of the fact that this dept have agreed to the provision of the two items of work

(see 'A' on p. 2 ante)

namely provision drinking water well and a urinal, the work of plastering the building has to be further sanctioned. In view of the recommendations of the of the collector, the Dt planning Board and the Agriculture dept, it referred to on P. 5 ante, it is for orders whether the recommendations of the Board may be overruled and the collector's proposal accepted as a special case.

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The reasons advanced against refusal of the work are

i only schemes which cannot be taken up directly under any scheme of Central govt can be taken up under LD programme and in the case the school being a govt institution such help from LD grant is unnecessary

However since the people have shown considerable enthusiasm and contribution in building, the same may be entertained as a special case

ii that the work has been started by the people themselves in the LD programme.

The work has not been completed yet. Obviously the people who started the work relying on the possibility of

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getting a grant under LD programme
in these circumstances I will
be hard to formalise them
for this and the same in
doing the work in anticipation
of sanction.

Where the new
building for the Jackson school
at Bekul may be undertaken
in the LD programme for 12-13. The
preparation of tenders may be
undertaken during the above work.

A wall may be provided
if the people are willing. Grant under
LD scheme is payable
because it will be formerly for the
benefit of the school. But proper
grant will not be made in
anticipation sanction to undertake
the building work in LD programme

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X on p.7 CF

C on p.2 CF

The building is reported to be
still incomplete. The High School
committee which donated the building
is stated to be in financial difficulties
having undertaken the construction
of the building expecting a 50%
grant from the Govt. In view
of the enthusiasm evinced by the
people this work may be ordered
to be given a 50% grant.

Attention is invited to

the note of the Ad.S at the bottom of p. 2 N.F.

~~Mr Martin~~ may see the case prior to circulation to M(A)

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Ad.S.

~~The CM~~

In view of the Spl. Pleas made by Agri, the dept need not object to the inclusion of the programme.

The CM. may be told that
2/S the work may be included in the L.D. programme of 1955-56; & that the work should include not only the building but the well & all ancillary Conveniences, as required by the Edn. Dept. subject to a max. of Rs 10,000/- & subject to ~~Rs~~ other depts & M(A) need not be consulted

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With reference the above orders, the draft below is for approval

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